



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re Application of**

Enomoto, et al.

**Serial No.:** 10/642,203

**Group Art Unit:** 2616

**Filed:** August 18, 2003

**Examiner:** Lee, B. E.

**For:** NETWORK SYSTEM, SPANNING TREE CONFIGURATION METHOD  
AND CONFIGUREATION, PROGRAM, AND SPANNING TREE  
CONFIGURATION NODE

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2007. A check for the extension fee in the amount of \$1,050.00 is attached. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

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